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Subject: Newtown Creek LTCP

Dear Stan and Stephanie

As you are aware NYCDEP is currently in the process of developing a CSO Long Term Control Plan for Newtown Creek due to DEC in June of 2017. DEC and NYCDEP are planning to schedule a LTCP alternatives workshop on the Newtown Creek LTCP for early to Mid-February. In this meeting DEP will present a summary of the water quality and CSO data collected in Newtown Creek, the results of the land side and water quality models, the projected CSO reduction “gap” to achieve water quality standards and potential LTCP reduction and/or treatment alternatives under consideration to fill the gap. This process proved to be very productive for us under the Flushing Bay LTCP that DEP will be submitting by the end of this month. Brainstorming on alternatives will be a central focus of the workshop. Given our mutual commitment for the Water and Superfund programs from DEC and EPA to work collaboratively on Newtown Creek programs, DEC is requesting your participation and asking if EPA would be willing host the workshop at your Region 2 offices thus allowing an opportunity for participation from NYC, DEC and EPA water and superfund programs. The room would need to accommodate approximately 30. The workshop will be strictly for technical staff. Please give me your thoughts and some possible dates if EPA is willing to host.

Thank You and Happy Holidays.

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